



# News Release

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### News Media Advisory

## **Wisconsin National Guard's United States Property and Fiscal Office to be dedicated Friday**

Military, state and federal officials will be on hand Friday morning to formally dedicate the Wisconsin National Guard's new United States Property and Fiscal Office facility at Camp Williams (Volk Field) at Camp Douglas, Wis. Construction of the \$13.7 million state-of-the-art facility took 16 months to complete. The 81,960 square foot facility replaces a multi-building complex of buildings dating back to the early 1900s. More than 92 percent of the projects costs were paid with federal funds.

Gov. Jim Doyle will be joined by the Chief of the National Guard Bureau, Lt. Gen. H. Steven Blum, for a formal building dedication. General Blum is the nation's senior National Guard officer. Also on hand will be the Wisconsin Guard's senior leadership team of Maj. Gen. Al Wilkening, the adjutant general of Wisconsin, and deputy adjutants general Maj. Gen. Fred Sloan and Brig. Gen. Kerry Denson.

In addition, representatives of Wisconsin's Congressional delegation and members of the Wisconsin state legislature will take part.

Where: United States Property and Fiscal Office (USPFO)  
Camp Williams (Volk Field), Camp Douglas, Wis.

When: Friday, June 9, 2006, 10:30 a.m.

Who: Gov. Jim Doyle  
Lt. Gen. H. Steven Blum, Chief of the National Guard Bureau  
Maj. Gen. Al Wilkening, Adjutant General of Wisconsin  
Maj. Gen. Fred Sloan, Deputy Adjutant General - Air  
Brig. Gen. Kerry Denson, Deputy Adjutant General - Army  
Col. Peter Seaholm, USPFO for Wisconsin  
Wisconsin Rep. Sheryl Albers  
Wisconsin Rep. Terry Musser  
The men and women of the USPFO Wisconsin employee team

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## USPFO Dedication

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Following the brief dedication ceremony, Col. Peter Seaholm and his USPFO staff will provide tours of the new USPFO facility.

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**Note to Editors and News Directors:** News media are welcome to cover the USPFO dedication Friday. News media organizations wishing to cover the dedication should call Lt. Col. Tim Donovan (608-242-3050 or Cell 608-516-1777) so arrangements can be made for access to the military installation. News media will not be permitted on the base unless arrangements have been made in advance. Please leave a message if you cannot reach anyone at this number and information will be passed on to Volk Field security.

Volk Field is located near Camp Douglas in Juneau County, just off exit 55 on Interstate Highways 90-94. You will be directed to the USPFO facility on the Camp Williams/Volk Field complex.

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